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## WORTHY TRIBUTE TO DEAD PIONEER

### Biographical Sketch of Late D. J. Marr.

#### Story of His Early Life and History of His Arizona Citizenship.

Dennis J. Marr was born in Maine, April 19, 1836. At an early age he went to sea and for a number of years followed that life, until he came to San Francisco, where he met his only brother, with whom he decided to make a trip inland, which terminated at Prescott, Arizona, at the early date of August, 1863, when, as a few of the old settlers will remember, Prescott was merely a camp and Fort Whipple had not been built.

Here Mr. Marr sojourned for a while, filled some responsible places for the government and eventually made his way to the Verde valley, where he with his brother engaged in cattle business. Here they became known, not only as men having large interests but also for their sterling integrity and worthy citizenship.

Mr. Marr was not of that class of frontier men who think they should be honored simply for having been the first upon the ground, but was always identified with that class who stood for the highest interests of civilization and the development of a country. With that fearless integrity and heroic self sacrifice, the class of citizens have brought the present generation under obligations to them in a debt of gratitude that can never be paid, and the real value of such citizenship will only be known in that day when all things are seen as they are. One always feels like lifting him in the presence of a worthy old frontiersman. They are the men who have brought the present generation under obligations to them in a debt of gratitude that can never be paid, and the real value of such citizenship will only be known in that day when all things are seen as they are.

Mr. Marr was naturally endowed with a commanding personality and a mind always alert for matters of practical interest and importance. His early travels numerous experiences and careful observations, all combined with his natural endowments, to make of him an interesting man. He was rich in all the arts of conversation and his ability to tell a good story was only surpassed by his willingness to listen when a good story was being told.

His home was his treasure, and by his careful attention to every detail in the matters of domestic interest he easily verified the proverb, "Where a man's treasure is there will his heart be also." For to him the home life was of all the most attractive, and by his judicious habits, kind relationships and general characterableness and manliness he made it a benediction to those who shared of it.

Besides his wife and four children, Mr. Marr leaves to mourn him a brother and two sisters—Joseph Marr, of Aultman, Ariz., and Miss Marr, of Boston, Mass., and Mrs. Andrews.

The end came peacefully in the early morning of Saturday, December 22, 1903, while surrounded by his family, and brother Joe Marr, and West Prescott, Mr. Andrews referred to the law on the subject, showing that the board has no authority whatever to build new school houses or change the location of buildings except such authority and power are given them by citizens of the school district.

The law prescribes the modus operandi, whereby such objects may be accomplished, the initial step being the circulation of a petition asking that an election be called for the purpose desired. All members, including Mr. Andrews, said that if the people of West Prescott desire a school house and proceed with a petition, as required by law that upon its reception by the board it will have due consideration and proper action.

In fact there would be no alternative for the board under the law other than to do this, and as stated they have no authority under the law to proceed with the erection of a school house in West Prescott or other place except upon a petition followed up subsequently by an election.

If the majority of the voters of Prescott school district are in favor of a school in West Prescott, which it must be admitted is needed for the accommodation of the smaller scholars, their purpose cannot be thwarted by the trustees, if all opposed it, which all deny.

Another thing which has been charged against the trustees and which is being used in an attempt to defeat Mr. Andrews is that they refuse to show the books, showing the expenditures on the new school house. Of course such a charge as this is only intended to deceive the ignorant of the business of the trustees is performed. The trustees could not cover this from the inspection of the public if they wanted to. Before a dollar of school money can be paid out, an itemized voucher specifying for what purpose it is claimed must be made out by the board and approved by them. It then goes to the superintendent of schools, and must be approved by him, when he issues a warrant on the county treasurer. These itemized vouchers are kept on file in the office of the superintendent and any citizen who desires to do so can have the privilege of inspecting them.

As the building fund is considered as a special school fund these vouchers are all kept separate from the other school expenses.

**Important If Correct.**

George Miller, a car repairer at the shops, has discovered what is said to be a certain remedy for blood poisoning, says the San Bernardino Times-Index. During Miller's long career with the company he has been constantly brought in contact with persons suffering with this dread ailment. He has seen men in strength of manhood suddenly reduced to living skeletons, doomed to spend the remaining years of their lives in abject misery, and these frequent signs prompted him to seek a cure for one of the most hopeless diseases known to medical science. His success was not obtained in a day, or a year, but is the crowning achievement of many years of close study and experiment. In speaking of the matter to a friend, he is quoted as saying that while he was positive he had discovered a cure he was not at the present time prepared to make a public announcement. "The remedy will go to the public with the hope that it will prove a boon to humanity," Miller is quoted as saying, "and I am not looking for fortune or notoriety. It is my intention to place the formula in the hands of physicians of national prominence, under whose direct instruction will receive recognition if it is worthy."

**Was Rank Swindle.**

The exhibition given last evening at the Hotel Florence hall was one of the rank swindles ever perpetrated upon an unsuspecting people. Judging by the announcement which the show people had made and had caused to be made a good show was expected and there was a large audience. The entertainment did not possess one single redeeming feature. The apparatus used was operated by gas instead of electricity and was an old fashioned broken down affair which would not work, and if it did occasionally give symptoms of performing what was wanted of it, only threw a picture about three feet square and so indicating that the audience was being deceived as to what it was intended for. Many of the slides did not fit the machine, and only showed half of the picture. The whole thing looked as though pictures and machine had been scraped out of some junk shop. Pandemonium reigned in the hall from time to time as the boys kept yelling and shouting at the operators, and the miserable quality of the show was only surpassed by the more miserable conduct of many of those present. While it must be admitted that there was great provocation for a demonstration against the fakirs, such conduct as many were guilty of was inexcusable, no matter how great the provocation. An action for obtaining money under false pretenses could be made to stick against the show people.

**MINING INTELLIGENCE.**

Ed S. Campbell, of the Stark Mining company, came in from the company's properties on lower Turkey creek last evening. He says the new mill and the cyaniding plant are working to perfection, the only trouble that he has had with a sand pump. He came in to get a new pump to take the place of the one now in use and as soon as that is in place thinks he will have everything working as smoothly as could be asked. The results so far attained with the mill and the cyaniding plant are highly satisfactory and the future outlook for the company is a mighty flattering one.

The frame work of the aerial tramway for the Bradshaw Mountain Copper Mining and Smelting company is practically completed, and the work of stretching the wire rope will be commenced tomorrow. In about thirty days the tramway will be completed.

The Pick and Drill Mining company has just ordered a new whim and will put it up on their property, preparing to continuing work on it. The company owns a fine group of claims adjoining those of the Bauman Copper company, in the Agua Fria district.

The Herald, of El Paso, contains the following concerning a mining property near that city: "The Jarilla camp will prove one of the richest on the continent," declares Mr. Wilkinson, one of the principal owners, who is here from Philadelphia. "It will prove as rich in gold as the Yukon fields and it is right here at El Paso and means much to that city. We are not talking for an advertisement, for none of our stock is for sale, but the gold is there and we are ready to spend all the money necessary to develop it. Within a year we will have a smaller in operation. If the Jarilla Smelting and Refining company erects a smelter of sufficient capacity for the camp, then we will have our ores treated at that plant, but if not we will erect our own smelter. The formation in our mines is peculiar and there is only one other mine in the world like it, and that is the United Verde. The United Verde has copper in a quartz formation, with gold hangings, and that is exactly the formation in our mine. We have never had an assay made for the reason that we did not care to put any stock on the market, and we knew that the ore was rich enough to pay us to mine it as we were ready. We are down 265 feet and the gold runs at least an ounce and a quarter to the ton. There is no question but that we have a ledge of it and it will pay immensely. We simply make our discovery public that El Paso may know what to expect from this camp, having no other motive in sight. She can expect much, for it is rich in gold and we will develop it at once. There will be no more delays—we have everything ready to begin work and we will spend all the money that is necessary."

Gold mining has become an important industry in Korea within the last six years; the region known to contain the precious metal extends from the hills bordering south bank of the Yalu and reaches far into Korea, at least to Gwondoline, for example, which is 250 miles south of the Yalu. Two companies—the Oriental Consolidated and the British and Korean—are in active operation; the former is an American concession and has a mill of 240 stamps near Anju, while the latter possesses a 20-stamp mill and cyanide plant at Gwondoline. These are the only undertaking producing gold at the present time. Copper is mined by the Japanese at several places and household utensils are made from it, but no foreigners are engaged in copper mining. Coal of medium quality is known to exist at Taidew. The Japanese are fully aware of the mineral resources of the region over which they now claim a protectorate and have a good deal to say in regard to the granting of further concessions to foreigners. "Korea for the Japanese" will be the dominant cry, should the war end favorably to Japan, and to such a sentiment the losses incurred by a war arising from a quarrel over the sovereignty of Korea will give added force.—Engineering and Mining Journal.

**PUBLIC RECORDS.**

The following is the daily report of instruments filed in the county recorder's office as reported by the Prescott Title Company:

March 15.—Santa Fe Pacific Development Co. to Santa Fe Pacific R. R. Co., all railroad lands owned. G. D. Moore and T. N. Gannon locate Deep Sweat mine, Black Rock district.

The Hassanyama Mining and Development Co. locates Rabbit Foot mine, White Pine district.

T. Akard files bond of \$5000 as live stock inspector, Peoples valley.

March 16.—B. Healy and W. Steinbock locate Mayflower and American Flag mines, Turkey Creek district.

Santa Fe Pacific R. R. Co. to United States, thirty six deeds to numerous lands.

C. Longmire et al incorporate Pittsburg-Jerome Copper Co., capital stock, \$1,500,000.

T. B. Farrow files bond of \$1000 as road overseer of district No. 34.

T. J. Neiman locates Confidence and Land Creek mines, Eureka dist.

W. H. Rittenman and H. J. Cornman locate Belle of Arizona mine, Black Hills district.

Joe Valdivia to Yonnette Marales, deed to half of New Bonanza mine, Castle Creek district, \$10.

John S. Jones files a work on numerous mines in Bigbig district.

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S. S. McDonald et al incorporate Wash Oil and Gas Co., capital stock, \$200,000.

J. J. Brooks with J. E. McCoy and W. J. Wiley agreement concerning payment of \$25,000.

March 17.—M. Chiantoretto and M. Veretto appropriate ten inches of water from spring on Annie O. mine, Verde district.

E. E. Bred amends location of Knight Templar mine and locates Sultan mine, Hassanyama district.

Final account and decree of distribution of estate of M. Worman, deceased, by probate court of Maricopa county.

E. E. Mulvenon files a work on American Flag and Morning Star mines, Bigbig district.

Order of board of supervisors declaring certain roads as public highways.

March 18.—Wm. Round et al locate Marie Red Cliff and Magnolia mines, Black Hills district.

G. W. French locates Tremont and Commonwealth mines, Walker district.

H. A. Kendall locates eight mines in Black Hills district.

N. Sartori locates Niado mine, in Martinez district.

J. A. Moore et al files a work on numerous mines in Walnut Grove district.

J. B. Lindsay et al incorporate Gold-Tonopah Mining Co., capital stock \$1,000,000.

John Webb and James Webb to Mitchell Burch, deed to a third of Webb mine, Square Peak district.

March 19.—Chas. H. Hooker and wife L. G. Gault, deed to lot of Mountain View mine, Jerome.

Joe Wright locates Vapour Batt and Red Star mines, Verde district.

M. Chiantoretto and M. Veretto locate Annie O. mill site and water right, Verde district.

Wm. Nellis and M. T. Knapp locate Yellow Aster mine, Copper Creek district.

Rolt W. Dunlap locates New Year mine, Walnut Grove district.

Andrew Stewart locates Black Beauty mine, Walnut Grove district.

H. L. Jaycox amends locations of Lottie, Cove, Whale and Crescent mines, Weaver district.

G. R. Feltwell locates Favorite and Midnight Crown mines, Turkey Creek district.

Geo. W. Ramey locates White Cap mine, Black Hills district.

F. R. Little files a work on four mines, Big Big district.

H. B. Clifford et al incorporate Bonanza Amusement Corporation, capital stock \$100,000.

March 20.—Bertha P. McCalmont files a work on Denver No. 1 mine, Peak district.

Sidney P. DeLong to North Verde Copper company deed to Irene, Kanak, Garibaldi, etc., mines, Verde district, \$1.

Jerry Cronin to D. D. Harrington deed to lot 25, block H, Syndicate add, Jerome, \$125.

O. L. Goe et al incorporate Hargus Hala Mining company, capital stock \$300,000.

J. E. Reynolds to Manley Glass deed to half Little Joker, Lulu and Summit mines, Pine Grove district, \$1.

Estate of E. L. Hart deceased, to E. L. Hart, Jr., deed to numerous lots in blocks one and K, Prescott, and one quarter Wire Gold mine, \$3675.

T. W. Otis and wife to G. P. Campbell deed to lot 18, block 20, Otis add, Prescott, \$185.

Joe and C. Reiman to J. E. McCoy bill of sale, saloon and lodging house, furniture, etc., on lot 3 blk 2, Prescott, \$1370.

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Mr. Salter represented the well known wool firm of Whitman, Farnsworth & Thayer, of Boston. He had for several years before removing to Denver lived in Boston and New York and he and his two brothers, Charles and Richard Salter, were among the best known wool buyers for the eastern markets.

The deceased was 53 years of age and leaves besides his sorrowing wife, several brothers and sisters who reside in the east.

The remains were shipped to Denver this morning by H. M. News & Co., and were accompanied by the widow and T. B. Trumbull, who represents the same firm that Mr. Salter did, and who arrived here only a few hours before the latter's death. One of the brothers will meet them at Denver and it is probable that the remains will then be taken to Boston for interment.

**Smoked Hop—Now Dead.**

A few days ago the sheriff's office arrested a Mexican by the name of Jose Amarillas, on telephone instruction from the officers at Jerome, and last Saturday the officers telephoned that his fine had been paid and requested that he be discharged which was done. He became so elated over his escape from jail that he immediately began to celebrate the event. He drank all kinds of mixtures until he lost their charm for him when he went down to Chihuahua and purchased 21 worth of hop and went up to a little shack on south Granite street which is used for that purpose, and proceeded to invoke the bliss of a hop dream. The dream seemed pretty good to him and he kept it up until he got so much that it caused heart failure and he died this morning about ten o'clock.

The remains were taken charge by Undertaker Logan and his relatives in Jerome were notified by telephone and started at once for Prescott and will arrive here tonight. He was 22 years of age and leaves a father, mother and several brothers and sisters.

**Devoted to Sacred Use.**

The Episcopal church building was consecrated yesterday, by the Right Rev. J. M. Ketchum, who also made an annual visitation to the city.

The new name by which the congregation in Prescott will be known in future, is St. Luke. The ceremony of consecration was witnessed by a large congregation. When the procession of laity and clergy had reached the sanctuary railings, the laity remained outside the railing, standing in a line. The bishop and priest passed into the sanctuary, and the bishop occupying his chair in front of the altar, heard the request for consecration read by the warden.

Prayers were then said, after which the bishop handed the sentence of consecration to the priest, who then read it to the congregation in a loud voice.

A benediction closed this impressive service.

The bishop confirmed, in the evening, the following: Roland and Elwyn Seaton, Raymond Belcher, Alfred Quinn, Marion Jenkins and Maurice Shull.

Miss M. Gale sang in earnest devotion, "The Peace of God," as an offertory anthem.

**Now Uses Electricity.**

Dr. J. Harvey Blain, one of Prescott's popular dentists, is always on the lookout for anything new in the dental business and as a result has just installed a fine new electrical apparatus in his operating room in connection with his dental parlors in the Bashford block.

A Journal-Miner man was shown the apparatus in detail by Dr. Blain, and it certainly is a wonderful addition to his already splendid equipment. The apparatus is in the shape of a fine marble switch board, with a great number of attachments for almost any dental operation. One of these attachments is a hot air blower. There is a tank filled with compressed air, attached to the board and this air is heated by the electricity as it passes through the attachment. This can be used to advantage in a number of ways. Another attachment is for spraying an antiseptic on parts that are to be operated upon. Also for treating the gums. Still another attachment is a small electric vibrator which enables the operator to see through a tooth almost like a piece of glass, and determine at a glance whether the nerve is dead or if there is any decayed or other foreign substance in the nerve channel. This is one of the most useful things ever invented for the use of a dentist. Another useful attachment is a root canal drier which not only enables the operator to almost instantly thoroughly dry the tooth before filling but also enables him to do certain work in filling much quicker and better.

Besides the above there is a call bell, hot water pump, faradic coil, attachment for propelling the electric engine for drilling on the tooth or hammering in the gold filling, etc., making it one of the greatest combinations ever offered in the practice of dentistry. Anyone interested will be welcome to call and see the little wonder and Dr. Blain will be pleased to show its wonderful workings.

**War News of the Week.**

Peking, March 17.—The Russian commissariat officers have applied to the Chinese railway officials at Hsin Min Tun for permission to use their line for the transportation of troops and supplies.